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REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Dear Sir:

Under the provisions of § 1.136(a), applicant petitions the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend the time for response to the final Office Action dated March 24, 2005 for one month from June 24, 2005 to July 24, 2005. Enclosed is a check for \$120.00 to cover the cost of the extension.

Also, if any additional payment is required, please charge the cost thereof to deposit account no. 02-2135. An extra copy of this letter is attached.

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